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Applicant : Lieping Chen
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Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated May 15, 2002, be extended for two months to and including October 15, 2002.

Enclosed is a check for \$200 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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